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MEMORANDUM FOR DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Evaluation of U.S. Central Command (USCENTCOM) Kinetic Targeting Processes and Reporting Procedures (Project No. D2019-DISPA2-0051.000)

We plan to begin the subject evaluation in February 2019. Our objective is to evaluate USCENTCOM target development and prosecution processes, as well as post-strike collateral damage and civilian casualty assessment activities. We will consider suggestions from management on additional or revised objectives.

We will perform the evaluation at USCENTCOM headquarters in Tampa, FL, U.S. Air Forces Central Command (AFCENT) at Shaw Air Force Base, SC, the Combined Air Operations Center (CAOC) at Al Udeid Air Base, Qatar and at one, or more, of the Distributed Ground Sites (DGS) supporting Intelligence, Surveillance, and Reconnaissance (ISR) operations in the CENTCOM area of operations. We may identify additional locations during the evaluation that will be visited as well.

Please provide us with a point of contact for the audit within **5 days** of the date of this memorandum. The point of contact should be a Government employee, a GS-15 or pay band equivalent or the military equivalent. Send the contact's name, title, grade/pay band, phone number, and e-mail address to

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